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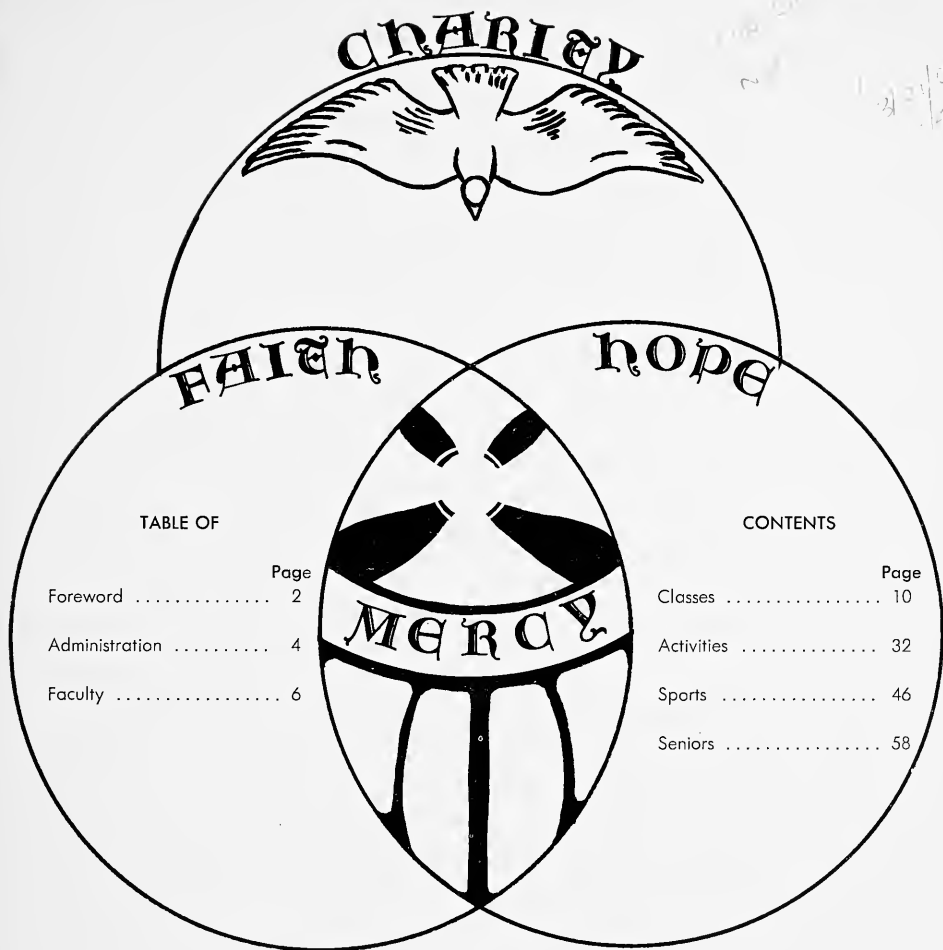
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Volume IX

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Dear Blessed Mother enlighten, guide,
and strengthen us to know and to ac-
cept God's holy will in all things.



*Our Lady of Light - Spouse of the Holy Spirit,
Obtain, O obtain for me the grace
Of an intimate union with Jesus!*

Foreword

We, the class of 1959, dedicate ourselves to the service of the Holy Spirit and this, our yearbook, to the memory of His most devoted servant — our late Pontiff, Pius XII.

This dedication is altogether fitting inasmuch as we owe the grace of truth and virtue to the Holy Spirit; and we owe the guidance, inspiration, and opportunity to secure grace to His Holiness, Pius XII who gave to the youth of the world not only his unstinted love and service but the golden chalice of daily communion through his liberalization of the laws of fast. In the divisions of this book, the Mercian Staff has been guided by his words and teachings. Our most fervent hope is that our lives will prove worthy of his love and offering.

It is also our most fervent hope and prayer that the Holy Spirit, Who guided and inspired our late Pontiff, will bestow that blessing on the reign of John XXIII under whose guidance we now go forth to face life. May the Holy Spirit ever be with us and may we find the same inspiration in adulthood from the reign of John XXIII as we found during our school years from his beloved predecessor.

MAY OUR FAITH, OUR HOPE, KEEP GROWING
TO THEIR DESTINED PLENTITUDE
AND OUR LIVES REJOICE IN KNOWING
HEAVEN'S TRUE BEATITUDE





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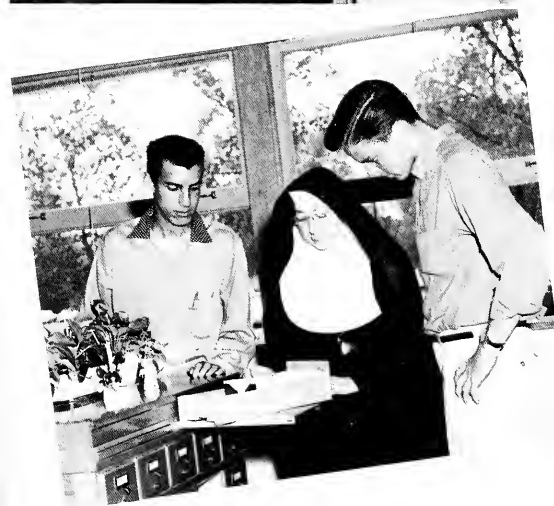
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Give them

a knowledge of their own personality and thus
of the greater treasures of freedom

minds trained to sound criticism, but at the
same time imbued with a sense of Chris-
tian humility.

just submission to the laws and the
duty of mutual dependence among
men.

— Pius XII

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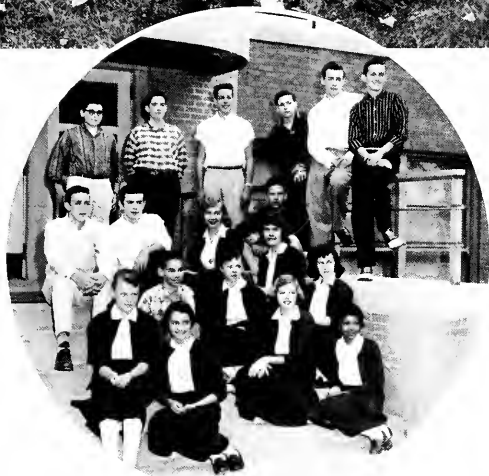


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son, C. Pristel, M. Pawol, D. Pieper.





Students of speech learn to overcome shyness by speaking in front of classmates.

D. Willis, M. McDevitt, L. Kelly, L. Orlando

Ambitious

Freshman Religion is the beginning of four years of training for Christian living.

J. Palazzola, D. Melchor, J. Tivali



Music students are taught to appreciate all phases of music from popular to classical.

M. Stroot, S. Brennan, S. Beine, E. Madden, J. Havey, M. Jastedt

Algebra I trains the student to think clearly and with deliberation.

B. Kessler, S. Hill, M. E. Kaiser



Freshmen

Counselors help solve minor and major problems facing the students.

M. Barry, Father Rehme



How language is affected by the course of history is studied by first year students in applied language.

G. Feltman, R. Buck, L. Sucher, R. Hardt



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Class

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Kilgus, R. Javoux, M. Zambruski, J. Pratt, H. Hermesen, D. Huddleson.

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THIRD ROW: B. Drury, M. Koch, L. Deas. **FOURTH ROW:** D. Kanter,
C. Burnett.





The study of world history helps the pupil achieve a well-rounded education.

A. Borberis, R. Weise, C. Willenburg, J. Vanderou

Sophomores Around

As nations begin to deal more with one another, foreign languages become more useful. Spanish is only one of those studied.

E. Watts, L. Spellmeyer, J. Worley, R. Javaux, E. Cassidy



Home Economics prepares homemakers-to-be for typical tasks.

D. Schraudner, P. Gibany, M. K. McCabe, M. R. Saffa



Sewing gives young girls the opportunity to develop their own tastes in clothes.

M. A. Rosner, C. Reuther

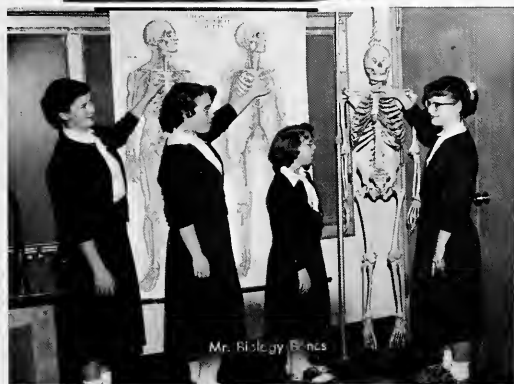


the Clock



Folk dances of foreign countries along with sports activities highlight the girls' physical education class.

Girls' Gym Class



Pupils in biology class learn the science of life through work in the laboratory.

M. A. Boes, C. Brundage, M. S. Mercurio, B. Silvy

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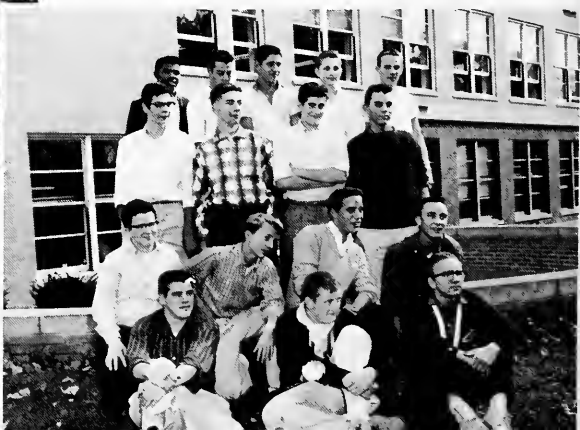
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FRONT ROW: T. Sondt. SECOND ROW: J. Gailius, P. Sturgis, I. Smith. THIRD ROW: D. Martin, D. Baker, B. Morentette, S. Whitaker. FOURTH ROW: G. Horton, B. Korte, J. Merz.

SECTION 11H

FRONT ROW: J. Maassen, C. Moran, J. Mooney. SECOND ROW: M. McShane, S. Brissett, B. Taylor, J. Helm. THIRD ROW: M. Thomson, J. Strasser, S. O'Gorman, J. Siniscal. FOURTH ROW: G. Grace, L. Jung, H. Wedemeyer, G. Nies.



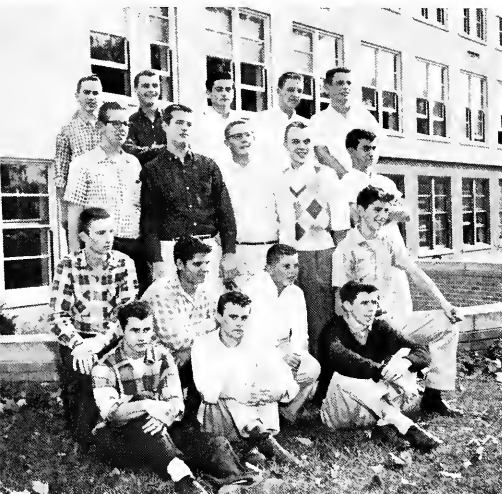
SPONSOR: MR. THOMAS J. SMITH

FRONT ROW: V. Young, M. Deloloye, G. Spears. SECOND ROW: J. LaFaver, V. Syron, S. Burkhort, I. Scheidle, J. Szeponski. THIRD ROW: R. Buhs, B. Genovese. FOURTH ROW: J. Eckhoff, J. Wittenberg, J. Hodge, C. Coyle.



SECTION 11J

FRONT ROW: H. Witte, C. Tierney, R. Van Deventer. SECOND ROW: B. Lawzan, K. Mediconi, E. Wagenblast, H. Klein. THIRD ROW: E. Kelemen, D. Vogt, M. Paale, R. Steiniger. FOURTH ROW: C. Grisham, M. McNeary, D. Faushee, B. Marshall.



SPONSOR: REVEREND JOHN GEOGHEGAN

FRONT ROW: E. Collier, D. Jung, B. Maaney. SECOND ROW: R. Krahr, P. Barrett, B. Gould, D. Pedrotti. THIRD ROW: P. Reddy, H. Evay, C. Chase, D. Nalte, T. Athie. FOURTH ROW: C. Tierney, K. Lavin, R. Dyke, T. Ortball, D. McDevitt.



SPONSOR: MR. RICHARD CANEPARI

FRONT ROW: D. Moellman, M. Lang, C. Martin, P. O'Taole, S. Wilson. SECOND ROW: M. Haeferlin, D. Glynn, L. West, B. Bortea, R. Stiefferman. THIRD ROW: A. Dunker, G. Helfrich, E. Crosby, R. Boyd, J. Ameis.



SECTION 11K

FRONT ROW: C. Faerstel, R. Girard, C. Franco, D. Weis. SECOND ROW: F. Mandernach, M. Dwyer, P. Zacheis, A. Scheulen. THIRD ROW: R. Messmer, P. Garnier, D. Griser, W. Ray, B. Hartz, J. Filla, D. Harig.

Absentees



FRESHMEN:

FRONT ROW: C. Giraud 11A, P. Hoffman 9D. **SECOND ROW:** W. Parfack 9H, H. Nagy 9E, M. Williams 9D, R. Helfrich 9A. **THIRD ROW:** M. Mullen 9C, M. Lee 9C.



SOPHOMORES:

FRONT ROW: L. Day 10E, R. Davit 10H, M. O'Taale 10B. **SECOND ROW:** B. Mullen 10H, S. King 10C, M. McCabe 10C. **THIRD ROW:** K. Willenburg 10B, P. Giboney 10C, P. Rosner 10C, J. Kemper 10C.



JUNIORS:

FRONT ROW: A. Maytas 11E, D. Gauding 11H, R. Kesselring 11J, B. Palmer 11G, T. Clous 11H. **SECOND ROW:** B. Bates 11J, G. McIntyre 11K, F. Poige 11E. **THIRD ROW:** M. Kenny 11G, M. A. Faulstich 11G, B. Fahy 11D, J. Bayne 11G, J. Hanneken 11H, J. Johnson 11D, S. Little 11D, J. Hanschmidt 11A.

SENIORS:

FRONT ROW: P. Miedaner 12C. **SECOND ROW:** V. Heidland 12E, L. Webb 12A, M. McNearney 12F. **THIRD ROW:** G. Gainer 12C, M. Hennessy 12C, E. Vandeventer 12E. **FOURTH ROW:** S. Smith 12E.





Laboratory experiments and chemistry classes answer interesting questions about our environment.

F. Boum, D. Schoenhaff, R. Starmann, M. Pieper

Juniors

Since good English is so important to a well educated person, the study of both grammar and literature is essential.

D. Brase, G. Spears



These students are practicing the fundamentals of typing which will be a great advantage in their future education and in the business world.

BACK ROW: P. Thiemann, J. Strasser, R. Zurweller, P. Zacheis. MIDDLE ROW: J. Helfrich, B. Palmer, S. Tully, J. VanDeven, R. VanDeventer. FIRST ROW: M. Litzinger, B. Donze, J. Hartmann

Health classes help to form "Good Samaritans" by a thorough study of First Aid.

J. McNomara, J. Brennan, J. Finn, G. McNilyre (Seated)



at Work



Alertness and speed are two by-products of the shorthand course. It also gives many girls a basis for a secretarial career.

S. Trebilcock, V. Hardt, D. Vagon (Standing)

Other languages are made easier with a complete understanding of the principle of Latin.

J. Kettler, M. Smith, C. Martin, D. Nolte, S. Sanford



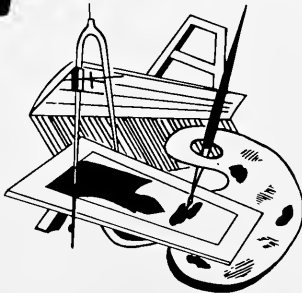
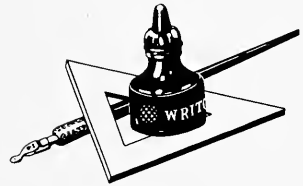


No matter how early one begins,

it is never too early to mold the character
and habits of the youth.

— Pius XII

Activities



Student Council



STANDING: J. N. Dailey, W. Pingel, M. B. Comber, N. Calandra, L. Sawash, B. Bakula, J. Hartenbach, and F. Kerr. **FRONT:** M. Mink, A. K. Roberts, C. Bradzin, and J. Walters.



ON STAGE: V. Filla, M. K. McCabe, B. Tilton, J. Purl, J. Lane, B. Taylor, D. Glynn, D. Balducci, and C. Tierney. **OFF STAGE:** M. Mink, P. Holland, A. K. Roberts, N. Calandra, and T. Agnew.

MODERATORS: Rev. John Wurm and Sister Mary Rosaria, R.S.M.

The Student Council, the student-elected governing body of the school, directs the religious and cultural assemblies and many of the social functions, including the Junior-Senior Prom, which is the social event of the year. The officers and the representatives of each homeroom plan the school dances and provide the decorations for them.

This year the Council presented two exceptional cultural assemblies featuring a student version of "Quiz-A-Catholic" and a panel discussion on the City-County Merger.



STANDING: J. Tivoli, D. Bader, S. Beine, B. Leistner, S. Cramer, M. Syran, and J. Studeman. **SEATED:** M. Mink, N. Calandra, A. K. Roberts, M. Junge, L. Lapp, M. Connors, and L. Kelly.

Sacred Heart

MODERATOR: Sister Mary Emmanuel, R.S.M. Officers: T. Filla, Y. Eckstein, V. Dunmon, A. Boyland.

Spreading devotion to Our Lord through Catholic Action is the purpose of the Sacred Heart Club. The members first Consecrate their homes to the Sacred Heart, make the nine first Fridays, and make a Holy Hour once a month. They then spread this devotion to others by distributing Sacred Heart badges and promoting the Apostleship of Prayer.



A. Boyland, C. Simeone, Y. Eckstein, B. George, T. Filla, and V. Dunmon.

Legion of Mary

MODERATOR: Sister Mary Lizette, R.S.M. Officers: J. A. Maasen, R. Starmann, M. Thomson, and M. C. Smith.

Faithfully every week of the year Mercy students have attended Legion of Mary meetings to venerate the Blessed Mother and report the spiritual and corporal works of Mercy they have performed the previous week.

Although membership is open to both boys and girls leading exemplary lives, only 12 girls participate actively in the club's devotion. This year, Our Lady of the Pillar Praesidium has included St. Joseph's Institute for the Deaf within its scope of activities.

M. C. Smith



Legion of Mary helps bring happiness to the hearts of the orphans.



Fourteen Club

M. A. Frieburghous, E. Bossolo, K. Ryon,
S. Waltz.



MODERATOR: Sister Mary Alma, R.S.M. Officers:
Marilyn Mink, Pat King, Carmela Palazzolo.

The Fourteen Club, an active charity organization with the ultimate purpose of the performance of the seven spiritual and seven corporal works of mercy, is now in its second year at Mercy. Throughout the year, its members visit the poor, ill, and lonely, with the desire to bring a little cheer into their lives. Making hand-sewn clown dolls and collecting food and clothing for needy families highlighted this year's work.



A. Prost



Members of the Fourteen Club perform the work of mercy: visiting the poor.

Stamp Club



J. Johnson, M. A. Louterwasser.

MODERATOR: Reverend John N. Wurm
Officers: A. Lemp, U. Rudloff, N. Calandro.

"Observe Judge, Act," is the inspiring motto of the Young Christian Students of Mercy High School. Discussion of typical student problems enables club members to improve the spiritual atmosphere of the school. This year for the first time boys have shown an energetic interest in the work of the Y.C.S. and a special group was created for them.

MODERATOR: Sister Mary Calosanctius, R.S.M.

Desiring to help the foreign missions and thus spread Christ's kingdom on earth, members of the Stamp Club collect and sort cancelled stamps of any kind. This financial aid helps to supply medicine, food, and religious articles to missionaries who are in need of assistance.

D. Brose, J. A. Eilers, J. Byrnes, C. Getz.



Y. C. S.



C. McDonald, A. Lemp, U. Rudloff, C. Ward, N. Calandro, J. Hartenboch, F. Kerr, R. Deckert.



K. O. D.

MODERATOR: Rev. Raymond F. Rustige.

The Knights of Demasthenes sponsor the dramatic activities of the school and strive to promote interest in and enthusiasm for drama in all its phases. "The Music Man" highlighted the K.O.D. trip to Chicago.

The annual K.O.D. musical, "Speak of the Devil," closed the curtain on another entertaining year of theatrical achievement.



TOP: M. Ferris, T. Hunt, and M. B. Plein.

MIDDLE: P. Garrity, D. Moehlman, J. Marshall, S. O'Gorman, K. McAndrew, and R. Starmann.

Members of the K.O.D. leave on their Chicago trip.





Library Guild

MODERATOR: Sister Mary Immaculata, R.S.M.

P. Cline, C. Simon, J. Voccoro, R. L'Ecyer, E. Greenfield.

C. Bowdern, M. Peloquin, S. Sonder, J. Simon, A. Stoverink, J. Kessels.

Completing its tenth year at Mercy, the Students' Library Guild is privileged to have one of its members, Renee L'Ecyer, serve as Vice-President of the St. Louis Library Guild. Members are required to attend four book reviews a year. By helping others who use the library, they themselves became acquainted with numerous books previously unknown to them.

MODERATOR: Reverend Raymond F. Rustige, J. Banzon, D. Nolte, L. Kelly.



C. I. S. L.

The Catholic Interscholastic Speech League, which has been a source of experience for many aspiring speakers, is composed of five sections: extemporaneous, original, non-original, radio, and humorous. Those who participate in speech activities learn to be confident in their expression of Catholic ideals and viewpoints.





Music Department

Glee Club

MODERATOR: Sister Mary Ellen, R.S.M. Officers: J. Sturgis, I. Scheidle, C. Stoverink, and R. Bataitis.

Through its special programs, such as the St. Patrick's Day assembly, the Music Department endeavors to bring pleasure to music lovers. The boys' quartet; the freshman, sophomore, and mixed choruses; and the orchestra offer to students an opportunity to perform while they study music. Dedicated to Our Lady, the Girls' Glee Club takes part in the Spring Festival, the Christmas program, and such outside activities as entertaining at the Little Sisters of the Poor.



TOP: J. Jung, D. Horton, S. Smith, and R. Haberstrah.

BOTTOM: The Advanced Orchestra plays for all music assemblies.



P. Waggaman, E. Keleman, J. P. Naylor, and J. Stuart.



LEFT: M. Mason, R. Bataitis, I. Scheidle, J. Sturgis, and C. Stoverink.

Math Club

MODERATOR: Sister Mary Emmanuel, R.S.M.

Officers: B. Shymonski, G. Zerego, and C. Scheidt.

The Euclidian Club offers to its members opportunities to utilize the mathematics they have learned. Solving involved problems and making geometric and algebraic charts are activities of the club. They also study the discoveries made by such men as Einstein and Euclid.



C. Scheidt, B. Shymonski, and G. Zerego.

Latin Club

MODERATOR: Sister Mary Natalie, R.S.M.

Officers: D. Nolte, B. Schneider, M. Wright, and M. Blake.

Forty-five Latin students who wish to broaden their education outside of classes make up the Latin Club. In addition to studying Roman life, staging Latin skits, and having seasonal programs the members have started a new Latin Paper, "Latin Looks," this year.

M. Blake, M. Wright, B. Schneider, D. Nolte, B. Silvey, and D. Foushee.





Exciting moment at a basketball game.

Pep Club

MODERATOR: Sister Mary Benita, R. S. M. Officers: P. Flynn, M. S. McShane, Y. Eckstein, and J. Ward.



Y. Eckstein, J. Ward, P. Flynn, M. S. McShane.

The Pep Club strives to improve school spirit and maintain good sportsmanship by promoting attendance at sport activities and sponsoring pep rallies, homecoming events, and colors day.

At the last basketball game of the season, the Pep Club saluted each senior sportsman with a trophy in remembrance of his basketball career at Mercy. Senior cheerleaders received corsages as a vote of gratitude from the Pep Club.

Pep Club cheers the team to victory.





M. Reichert, H. Barrere, J. Hedrick, P. Flynn, T. Keshan, and D. Buhr.

"M' Club

MODERATOR: Rev. Paul Sutter

Officers: T. Keshan, P. Flynn, H. Barrere, and M. Reichert.

The "M" Club, which originated at Mercy in 1955, has done much to unite the Varsity Lettermen and strengthen school spirit. A distinctive honor for a Letterman is the reception of his "M" pin. The "M" Club sponsoring the "Farewell Dance" late in May, has been one of the most outstanding clubs at Mercy this year and in the past.

Art Club

MODERATOR: Sister M. Elegius, R.S.M.

Through the Art Club, students are provided with an opportunity to display their artistic abilities. During their meetings, the members paint, draw, make ceramics, and create other useful and decorative articles.

E. Cassidy, J. Hortenbach, M. Offer, P. Dwyer, U. Rudloff, J. Becker, and N. Shanahan.



Mercy Shield

MODERATOR: Sister Mary Huberta,
R.S.M.

Editors: B. Buhr, N. Calandro, and J.
Sturgis.



C. Simeone, P. King, B. Buhr.

D. Moehlmom, N. Colandro, J. Sturgis, D. Nolte.

With its purpose of teaching students to communicate through Catholic journalism, the **Mercy Shield** publishes six issues annually. The news stories, the feature and sports pages, and the editorials are written to strengthen school spirit by increasing students' interest in scholastic and extracurricular activities. Since its beginning eleven years ago, the newspaper has been rated "All Catholic" by the Catholic Press and "excellent" by the Missouri Inter-scholastic Press Association.



J. Newport, M. Mink, A. K. Roberts, D. Coad, R. L'Ecuyer, A. Sandlin, R. Desloge.



R. L'Ecuier, C. McDonald



P. King, R. Desloge, B. Smith, S. Schulen.

Mercian

MODERATORS: Sister Mary Churity, R.S.M. and Miss Audrey Giovanni

Editors: R. L'Ecuier, C. McDonald.

The *Mercian*, which presents to students a permanent pictorial record of the year's events, holds the ranks of "All Catholic" and "superior" as given by the Catholic Press and the Missouri Press Association. Since there are many facets of school life, the yearbook reports the complete story of the activities of the seniors, classes, clubs, and sports. A joint *Mercian-Shield* event was attendance at the National Catholic Press Congress, held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.



P. Pearsons, M. Mink, L. Sowash, F. Henley, and A. K. Roberts.



J. Burke, J. Siniscal, and T. Gagel,



K. Mosier, R. Suech, M. Shelly, and C. McDonald



J. Sturgis, P. Snowden, K. Iza, M. Kerr, and R. Starmann.

After a good game

hasten to take up your work with a new spirit

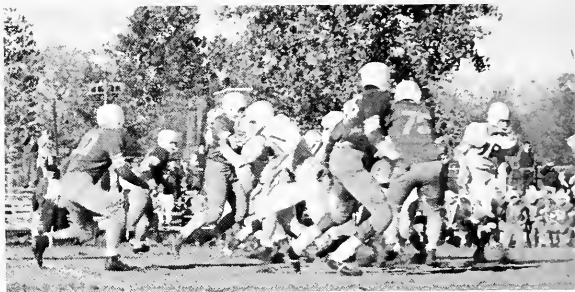
when you return home, bring joy to the family with your exuberant and enthusiastic accounts.

— Pius XII

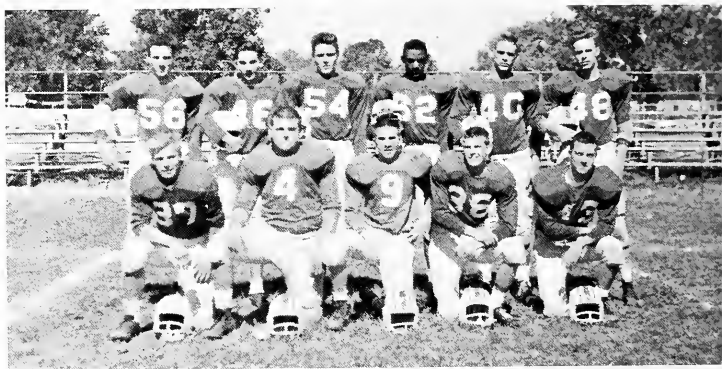
Sports



MERCY vs. Normondy
 MERCY vs. C.B.C.
 MERCY vs. Western M.A.
 MERCY vs. St. Louis U.H.
 MERCY vs. DuBourg
 MERCY vs. McBride
 MERCY vs. St. Marys
 MERCY vs. Lobouree
 MERCY vs. DeAndreis



FRONT ROW: J. Frericks, B. Hess, C. Faerstel, G. McIntyre, R. Martin. **BACK ROW:** E. McAllister, D. McDevitt, F. Boyd, D. Bacich, J. McNamera.



BACKFIELD

Varsity Football

LINEMEN

FRONT ROW: K. Lavin, J. Finn, B. Agnew, B. Waggonman, G. Weingaertner, H. Barrere, M. Reichert, D. Buhr. **MIDDLE ROW:** J. Hedrick, G. Lades, S. Kelty, M. Ivankovich, E. Simpson, J. Brennan. **BACK ROW:** T. Lannon, F. Dudenhoeffer, J. Westoff, C. Chose, D. Balducci, T. Cafozza.



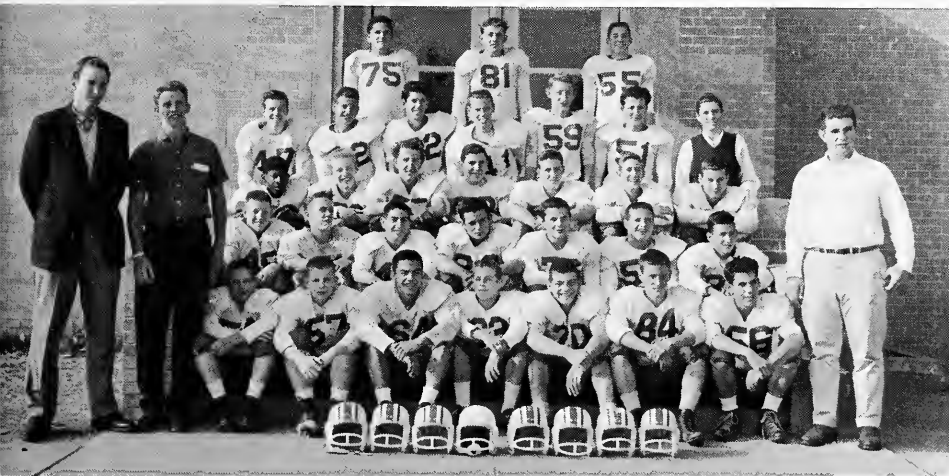
Football

Varsity Football

The Varsity got off to a bad start when the Normandy Vikings trounced the Bulldogs 33—15. In Mercy's only night game of the season, the Cadets showed us little hospitality as they whipped us 20—0. Moving over to Alton, Harvey Stocker's Bulldogs hoped to break into the winning column against Western Military but had to settle for a 14—14 tie. Our next game was with the Junior Bills and were turned away 33—6.

Mercy opened league play in the Catholic Athletic Conference against last year's Champions, DuBourg, but we were stopped cold by a powerful Cavalier squad, 28—12. The Bulldogs were over-powered by the McBride Micks 25—19 and the St. Mary's Dragons 26—6 in the next two league games. The Bulldogs won their first game on November 1, when they defeated the Laboure Lions, 28—13. Keeping the same spirit the Bulldogs made it two in a row when they whipped DeAndreis, 28—14.

"B" Team Football



FRONT ROW: E. Neer, J. Vondero, L. Inchiostro, R. McIntyre, J. La-Casse, E. Chaudian, J. Schmitt. SECOND ROW: R. Swaboda, T. McForland, D. Checkett, T. Aghew, J. Stewart, P. Waggaman, J. De-Martini. THIRD ROW: R. Grandberry, J. DeBald, E. Polite, J. Mat-

teuzzi, K. Plein, C. Burnett, B. Capstick. FOURTH ROW: D. Newbauer, D. Sheble, M. Mangogna, M. Carrol, T. Zimmermann, Schessing, M. McDevitt. BACK ROW: J. Schmitt, R. Haberstrah, R. Lang, Coaches: Mr. Jack Mimlitz, Pat Flynn, Frank Miceli.

Bob Benben



Bob Donovan



Mercy	Opponents
60 ... Lutheran	62
47 ... C.B.C.	68
59 ... Soldon	44
53 ... Chominade	42
65 ... Normandy	41
46 ... Beaumont	63
52 ... Du Bourg	62
45 ... Mc Bride	39
66 ... St. Mary's	72
81 ... Laboure	80
56 ... De Andreis	41
44 ... Du Bourg	46
52 ... Mc Bride	61
58 ... Central	39
58 ... St. Mary's	59
49 ... St. L. H.	65
63 ... Laboure	47
40 ... De Andreis	41



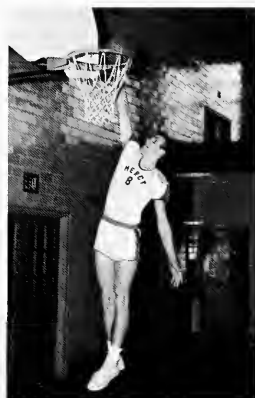
FRONT ROW: T. Keeshan, J. Newport, B. Obermark, Mgr. J. Colandro. BACK ROW: Coach J. Mimlitz, J. Hennessy, B. Corberry, B. Waggoman, D. Griser, G. Lodes, Fr. J. Bokel.



Bill Copstick



Joe McBride



Jim Westhoff

Varsity Basketball

In the first basketball game of the season, the team showed great spirit against Lutheran as they came from fourteen points down, only to be stopped at the gun, 62—59. Then moving to C.B.C. the Cadets controlled the boards and the game as they beat the Bulldogs, 68—47. In the following three games the Bulldogs trounced all three teams: Soldon, 59—44; Chaminade, 53—42; and Normandy, 65—41.

At the Normandy Christmas Tournament the Bulldogs stopped Pattonville, 77—49 only to lose to C.B.C. the following day, 67—57.

The Bulldogs were handed a defeat by DuBourg in the first CAC game, 62—52. In the next two league games the Bulldogs were able to defeat McBride, 45—39 and then St. Mary's Dragons stopped us, 72—66. In the fourth league game, Coach Jack Mimitz's Bulldogs edged the Laboure Lions, 81—80 and then trounced the DeAndreis Wildcats 58—41.

Our stay in the DeAndreis Tournament and the State Regionals was short as we were eliminated in both by DeAndreis and University City.

The Bulldogs dropped the next two league games, first to DuBourg, 46—44 and then to McBride 61—52. They then went on to turn Central away with a defeat, 59—38. In the second contest with St. Mary's the Bulldogs came out one short, 58—57. Playing St. Louis U. High on February 15, the Bulldogs put up a good fight but were defeated, 65—49. In the last home game the Senior Basketball players and cheerleaders were honored: the boys received trophies; the cheerleaders, flowers; and the team, a victory over Laboure. On February 27 the Mercy fans watched DeAndreis subdue a bewitched Mercy squad, 41—40.

The "B" Team finished up with a 17—6 season. They are to be commended for their good playing and first place finish in the St. Francis Borgia Tournament.

"B" Team Basketball



FRONT ROW: D. Roche, J. Worley, J. Corbitt, B. Johnson, J. Collins, B. Obermark. BACK ROW: Fr. Bokel, B. Mullen, D. Spencer, R. Drewes, C. Leiding, C. Burnett, D. Balducci, Mgr. J. DeMortini, Coach J. Mimitz.

Baseball



H. Barrere



B. Ceruti



M. Reichert



R. Deckert



B. Benben



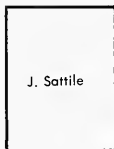
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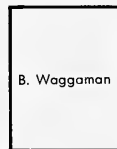
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G. DiBlasi

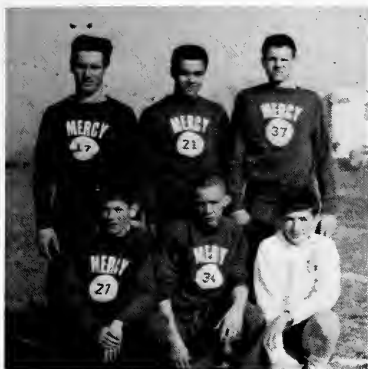


B. Waggaman



FRONT ROW: R. Sirhel, K. Stutz, G. DiBlasi, B. Waggaman, H. Evoy. BACK ROW: Caach H. Stocker, J. Hedrick, B. Ceruti, J. Hennessy, H. Barrere, T. Keeshan, J. Sattile, J. Brennan, F. Miceli, R. Deckert, J. Hauswirth, B. Benben.

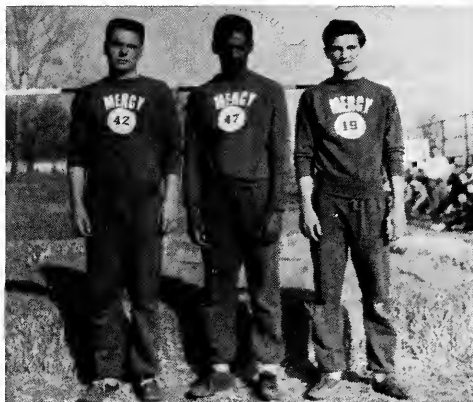
Varsity Track



FRONT ROW: F. Clervi, F. McGarvin, R. Dames.
BACK ROW: E. McDevitt, L. Inchiostia, J. Baalman.



FRONT ROW: J. Collins, N. Calandra, C. McLoughlin, J. Melchar. **BACK ROW:** R. Vacks, T. Dwarcek, E. McDevitt, T. Farrell.



D. McDevitt, F. Boyd, R. Dyke.



FRONT ROW: B. Obermark, B. Bieunue, M. Hueferlin, R. Grandberry, L. Weis, S. O'Randa, M. McDevitt, B. Bader, D. Kerr. **BACK ROW:** E. McAllister, B. Fahy, F. Baum, J. Lambarda, F. West, J. Newport, B. O'Keefe, P. Flynn.

The coach of the Track Team this year was Mr. Walter Pfeiffer.

Girls' Intramural Basketball

Swishing nets and bouncing balls were characteristic of the chief after-school athletic activity of the girls.

With the helpful leadership of Mrs. Staley and Miss Perolta, seventeen basketball teams participated in intramural competition.

Class teams displayed a fine competitive spirit and showed marked improvement in skills as the season progressed.



Intramural



CHAMPIONS — Section 11C

FRONT ROW: J. Burke, J. Brennan, J. Finn, C. McLaughlin. BACK ROW: R. Spraul, J. Adams, J. McNamara, D. Goade.

SECOND PLACE — Section 10D

FRONT ROW: D. Walsh, B. Tracey, T. Agnew. MIDDLE ROW: T. DeFabio, M. Carroll. BACK ROW: R. Lang, T. Zimmermann.



THIRD PLACE — Section 12C

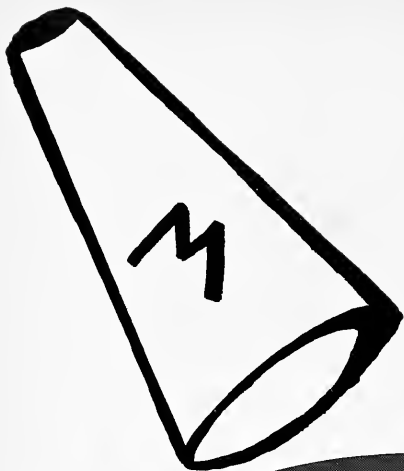
FRONT ROW: J. Ward, M. Reichert, R. Huesgen. BACK ROW: P. Flynn, J. LaRocca, M. Hennessy.



FOURTH PLACE — Section 9 B-E

FRONT ROW: Miss Reilly, D. McIntyre, M. Jostedt. MIDDLE ROW: B. Bader, T. Amato, T. McForland. BACK ROW: K. Dauve, H. Nagy, J. Mercurio.





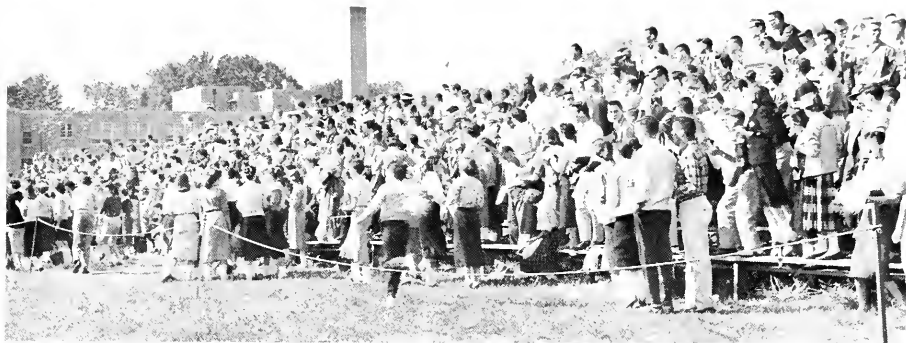
Cheerleaders



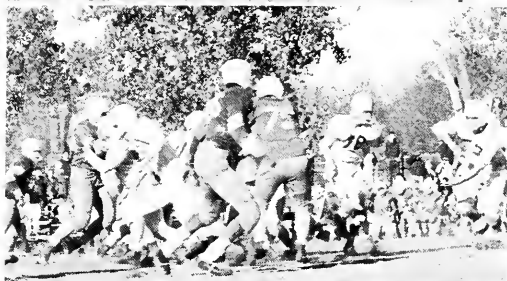
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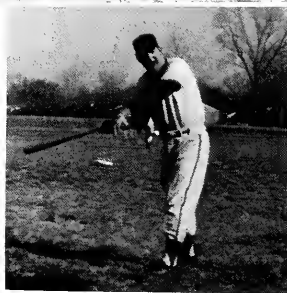
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Sports



Round-Up





Graduates, show forth

discernment
appreciation
self-control

in your relationships toward

God
yourselves
your fellow men

constantly and consistently in accordance with
right reason, illumined by the supernatural
light of the example and teaching of Christ.

— Pius XII

Seniors



STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS

CALANDRO, NICK P.
Student Council 1, President 4;
SHIELD Staff Co-Editor 4; Y.C.S.
4; PROM Reporter 4; Pep Club
2,4; May Day Court 1,4; Living
Rosary 1,4; Christmas Cantata
4; "M" Club 2,3,4; Football
Court 3; Football 2,3; Track
2,3,4.



ROBERTS, ANNA KAY
Student Council Alternate 3,
Vice-President 4; Honor Roll 2,3;
AMERICAN Staff 3,4; SHIELD Staff
4; Sacred Heart Club 2,3; Y.C.S.
3,4; Fourteen Club 4; C.I.S.L.
2,3; K.O.D. 2,3,4; Cheerleader
4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Living Rosary
3,4; Christmas Cantata 3,4;
Spring Festival 4; May Day
Court 4; Football Court 3,
Queen 4; "Backstage on Broad-
way" 3; "S. S. Goodwill" 2.

DWORACSEK, THOMAS
Malomes Sutaipari Technicum
Budapest, Hungary.
Student Council 4; Y.C.S. 4;
K.O.D. 4; Living Rosary 4; Christ-
mas Cantata 4; Math Club 4.



MINK, MARILYN J.
Incarnate Word Academy 1.
Student Council Secretary 4;
Honor Roll 2; MERCIAN Staff
3,4; SHIELD Staff 4; Sacred
Heart Club 2,3; Y.C.S. 3,4; Four-
teen Club 3, President 4; K.O.D.
2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3; May Day
Court 4; Christmas Cantata 3,4;
"Backstage on Broadway" 3.



L'ECUYER, RENEE D.

SHIELD Staff 4; MERCIAN Staff 3, Co-Editor 4; Fourteen Club 4; Library Guild 3,4; Orchestra 1,2; K.O.D. 3,4.

MERCIAN CO-EDITORS

McDONALD, CAROLYN L.

Student Council 2; Student Council Alternate 1; MERCIAN Staff 1,2,3, Co-Editor 4; Sacred Heart Club 1,2,3,4; Y.C.S. 3,4; Fourteen Club 3,4; K.O.D. 1,2, 3,4; Pep Club 1,2; May Day Court 2; Living Rosary 1; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; "S. S. Goodwill" 2; "South of the Border" 1; Latin Club 2.



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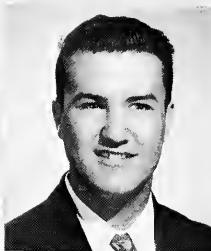
BEIN, SANDRA L.

Student Council Alternate 2;
Sacred Heart 2,4; Pep Club 3,4;
Latin Club 2; Stamp Club 1.



BECKER, JUDITH K.
Pep Club 2; Art Club 4.

BAUSCH, PAUL W.
Latin Club 2.



BARRERE, HENRY

Rancho High School, Las Vegas, Nevada 1.
Y.C.S. 2; Pep Club 4; Christmas Cantata 4; "M" Club
2,3, Secretary 4; Football Court 4; Football 2,3,4;
Baseball 2,3,4; Senior Play.

AUSTIN, EUGENE P.



BENBEN, ROBERT E.

St. Rita High School, Chicago
1,2.

"M" Club 3,4; Football King 4;
Football 3,4; Basketball 3,4;
Baseball 3,4.



BERGERON, NORMA L.

Senior Play

BETHUNE, JOHN R.



BLANTON, JUANITA A.

Notre Dame High School 1,2,3.

BLOCK, ROY S.

Lillis High School, Kansas City, Mo. 3.

SHIELD Staff 4; K.O.D. 4.



Seniors



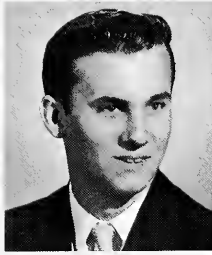
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C.B.C. 1,2,3.

C.I.S.L. 4; K.O.D. 4; Christmas Cantata 4; Senior Play.

BOSSOLA, ELAINE M.

Honor Roll 1,2,3; Sacred Heart Club 2,3; Y.C.S. 3,4;
Pep Club 2,3,4; Cheerleader 4; Glee Club 2; K.O.D.
1,2,3,4; Christmas Cantata 3,4; Spring Festival 2,3,4;
"Backstage on Broadway" 3.



BOYLAND, THOMAS P.

Pep Club 4; Math Club 4; Latin Club 2; Orchestra 1,2.



BRANDON, GERALDINE

Spring Festival 3; "The Waltz King" 3.



BREWER, ALICE R.

Maplewood Richmond Heights 1.



BUHR, DENNIS J.

K.O.D. 4; Pep Club 4; "M" Club 3,4; Football Court 4;
Football 1,2,3; Co-captain 4; Track 3.

BUHR, ELIZABETH J.

SHIELD Staff Co-editor 4; Sacred Heart Club 2; Pep
Club 2; Latin Club 2; Art Club 1; Senior Play.



BRUNTS, JUDITH A.

Pep Club 2,4.

BRUNE, ILENE M.

Sacred Heart Club 2,3; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2; Sen-
ior Play.



BRINKMAN, CATHERINE A.

Honor Roll 1,2,3; Sacred Heart
Club 1,2; Fourteen Club 4; Glee
Club 2; Senior Play.

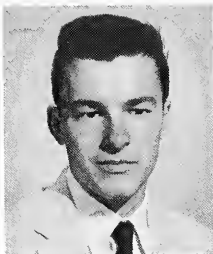


Seniors



BUTLER, PATRICIA A.

Student Council 3; Sacred Heart Club 2,3; C.I.S.L. 3; K.O.D. 2,3,4; Living Rosary 3; Christmas Cantata 3,4; Pep 2,3.



**BUSCH, GERALD T.
BURNLEY, PATRICIA L.**

Spring Festival 3,4; "The Waltz King" 3.



BURNETT, EUGENE J.

Maplewood Richmond Heights 1.

K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 3; Art Club 4; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; Senior Play.

BURCKE, LEROI C.



CAFAZZA, ANTHONY C.

Student Council Alternate 3; K.O.D. 3,4; Living Rosary 3; Christmas Cantata 3; Football 2,4; Soccer 1.



CAFAZZA, ROSALIE A.

Honor Roll 1,2,3; Sacred Heart 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2; Glee Club 2,3; Spring Festival 2.

CALLIER, JEROME J.

SHIELD Staff 3; MERCIAN Staff 3,4; Pep Club 2; Senior Play 4.



CASEY, BARBARA A.

Pep Club 2; K.O.D. 2,3,4.

CENTO, CAROL A.

Sacred Heart Club 1,4; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; "South of the Border" 1.



Seniors



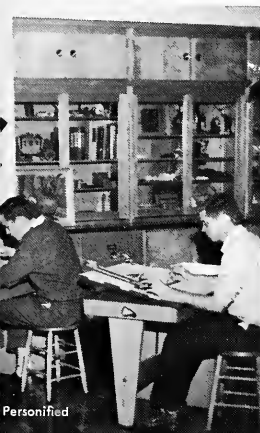
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"M" Club 3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Soccer 1.
CHAUDOIN, CAROL A.
K.O.D. 4.



CIPPONERI, GENIEVIEVE M.
Sacred Heart Club 2,4; K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 3,4; C.I.S.L.
4; Stamp Club 2.
CLEARY, JOHN C.
Student Council Alternate 1; Living Rosary 1; Senior Play.



CLINE, PATRICIA A.
K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4;
Fourteen Club 4; Library Guild
4; Orchestra 1,2; "Backstage on
Broadway" 3; "South of the
Border" 1; Senior Play.



Personified

COURTOIS, MARY T.
Sacred Heart Club 4; Pep Club 2; Glee Club 2.
CONLON, M. HARRIET
Honor Roll 2,3; Sacred Heart Club 1,2,3,4; K.O.D. 3,4;
Pep Club 2,3,4; Y.C.S. 4.



COMER, MARY E.
Student Council 4; Sacred Heart 2,4; K.O.D. 4; Living
Rosary 4; May Day Court 4.
COLLIER, RICHARD
Pep Club 1; Latin Club 1.



COAD, DANIEL J.
SHIELD Staff 4; K.O.D. 4; Y.C.S.
4; Senior Play; Orchestra 3;
Track 2.



Seniors



DECKERT, RAYMOND R.

Student Council 1; May Day Court 1; Living Rosary 1; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Spring Festival 1,2,3; "The Waltz King" 1; "M" Club 2,3,4; Baseball 2,3.



DARWIN, M. SANDRA

K.O.D. 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3; "Backstage on Broadway" 3.

DALY, PATRICIA L.

Sacred Heart 4.



DAILEY, JO NELL R.

Honor Roll 1,2,3; Student Council 4; Sacred Heart Club 3,4; Y.C.S. 4; K.O.D. 3; Pep Club 2; May Day Court 4; Living Rosary 4; Christmas Cantata 4; Senior Play.

COWIE, WILLIAM J.

Pep Club 1; Football 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Senior Play.



DE MARTINI, JUDITH M.

Sacred Heart Club 4; Legion of Mary 3; K.O.D. 2,3,4; Pep Club 2; "S. S. Goodwill" 2; Senior Play.

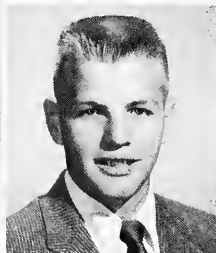
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St. Louis Preparatory Seminary 1.

K.O.D. 4.

DOTSON, JANE E.

Student Council Alternate 1; K.O.D. 3,4; Living Rosary 1; Senior Play.



DOWNEY, JAMES J.

K.O.D. 4; Glee Club 3.

DUDENHOEFFER, FRANCIS M.

K.O.D. 3,4; Football 1,2,4; Senior Play.



Seniors



DUNCAN, RUTH A.

Student Council 2,3; Sacred Heart 2,3,4; Y.C.S. 4; Pep Club 4; K.O.D. 2,3,4; C.I.S.L. 4; Living Rosary 2,3; May Day Court 2,3; Senior Play; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; Football Court 4.

DUNMAN, VIRGINIA K.

Sacred Heart 1,2, Secretary 3, Vice-President 4; K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 1; Christmas Cantata 4; Living Rosary 1; "Backstage on Broadway" 3.



DUNN, JUDITH

DWYER, MARY V.

Sacred Heart Club 3,4; K.O.D. 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2.



DWYER, THOMAS P.

Student Council 1; Living Rosary 1; Orchestra 1.



Stage Crew at work.

EICKHOFF, GEORGE R.

Soldan-Blewett High School 1,2.

ECKSTEIN, KATHLEEN M.

Y.C.S. 4; Sacred Heart Club 1,2,3,4; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4.



ECKHOFF, GERALD J.

Latin Club 2; Orchestra 1,2.

ECKERT, THOMAS C.

Student Council Alternate 3; K.O.D. 3,4; Football 2; Track 1,2,3.



EBELING, JUDITH M.

Student Council 1; Honor Roll 1; K.O.D. 2,3,4; Pep Club 2; Living Rosary 1; "Backstage on Broadway" 3.



Seniors



FAVAZZA, LOUIS R.
Pep Club 3; Soccer 1.



FARRELL, THOMAS G.
Y.C.S. 4; Track 2.

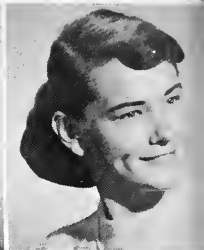


FALTER, CYNTHIA M.
DeAndreis High School 1,2.
Christmas Cantata 4.



FAHEY, WILLIAM F.

Honor Roll 2; Y.C.S. 4; K.O.D. 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4;
Stamp Club 2,3; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; Senior
Play.



ENNENBACH, JOSEPHINE A.
K.O.D. 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3.



FERRIS, MARTHA A.

Xavier High School 1.
Sacred Heart Club 3,4; Y.C.S. 4
K.O.D. 4; Christmas Cantata 4;
Senior Play.



FILLA, ANTOINETTE C.

Student Council 2,3, Alternate 4; Sacred Heart Club Vice-
President 3, President 4; May Day Court 3,4; Living
Rosary 3,4; Pep Club 2,3; Football Court 4.

FLOYD, DAVID R.

Baseball 3,4.

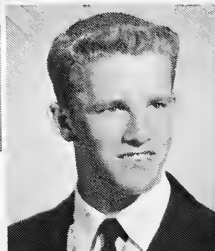


FLYNN, PATRICK R.

Y.C.S. 4; K.O.D. 4; Pep Club President 4; Christmas
Cantata 3,4; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; "M" Club
3, Treasurer 4; Football Court 3; Football 2,3; Basket-
ball 2; Track 1,2,3,4; Senior Play.

FLYNN, RICHARD P.

"Backstage on Broadway" 3; Football 2; Basketball 2.



Seniors



FREIBURGH AUS, MARY A.

Honor Roll 2; Sacred Heart Club 1,2,3,4; Fourteen Club 3,4; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Glee Club 2,4; Latin Club 2; Christmas Cantata 4; Spring Festival 3,4; "S. S. Goodwill" 2; "The Waltz King" 3; "South of the Border" 1.

FRIEDHOFF, ALBERT F.

FRIEL, KAREN K.

Sacred Heart Club 2,3,4; K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Latin Club 2.

GAINER, ALBERT J.

Orchestra 1,2,3,4.

GARRITY, PATRICK

Norfolk Catholic High School 1. Student Council Alternate 3; C.I.S.L. 3,4; K.O.D. 3,4; Latin Club 3,4; May Day Court 3; Living Rosary 3; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; Football 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3,4.



GEORGE, VINCENT P.

Mour Hill School, Atchison, Kansas 1,2,3.

GEORGE, BEVERLEY B.

Honor Roll 1,2,3; Sacred Heart Club 2,3,4; C.I.S.L. 3; Pep Club 2,3; Glee Club 2; Orchestra 1,2; Christmas Cantata 4; Spring Festival 2,3; "The Waltz King" 3.

GENNARI, NELSON E.

Pep Club 2; Math Club 4.



GRAHAM, FRANCIS G.

Orchestra 1,2,3,4; "The Waltz King" 3.

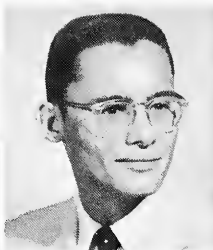
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Seniors



GRUEN, CLEMENT A.
Basketball 2.



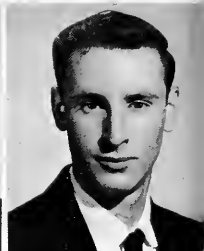
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Track 2.



GRANT, PATRICIA A.
K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 2.



GRAHAM, THOMAS P.
Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Y.C.S. 4; K.O.D. 3; Orchestra 1;
Track 4.



GRAHAM, JOHN J.
Honor Roll 1,2,3; K.O.D. 3; Y.C.S. 4; Orchestra 1.

GRUNZINGER, DAVID A.
St. Louis University High School
1.



GUITTAR, NORMAN L.
Math Club 4; "The Waltz King" 3; Spring Festival 3; "M"
Club 3,4; Football 2,3; Track 2,3.

HACKMANN, CAROLE J.
Honor Roll 2,3; Sacred Heart Club 4; Pep Club 2.



HAITZ, CHERIE
Honor Roll 2,3; Sacred Heart Club 2,3,4; C.I.S.L. 3,4;
K.O.D. 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Latin Club 2; Living
Rosary 1; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; "S.S. Good-
will" 2.



HARMON, VINCENT M.
Honor Roll 2; Student Council 3; Math Club 4; May
Day Court 3; Living Rosary 3.



Seniors



HARTENBACH, JAMES R.

St. Louis Preparatory Seminary 1; Student Council 4; Y.C.S. 4; Living Rosary 4.

HARTMANN, LEONARD J.

K.O.D. 4; Pep Club 4; Senior Play.



HAUSWIRTH, JOHN L.

Orchestra 1; Football 1; Baseball 1.

HAVEY, PATRICIA L.

Nerinx Hall 1; C.I.S.L. 4; K.O.D. 3,4.



HEDRICK, JAMES H.

K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; May Day Court 3; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; "M" Club 2,3,4; Football 2,4; Baseball 1,3,4.



HESS, GEORGE R.

"M" Club 3,4; Football Court 2,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Track 1,2.

HENLEY, FRANCES J.

Sacred Heart Academy, Springfield, Ill. 1; Honor Roll 1; MERCIAN Staff 3,4; Sacred Heart Club 2,3,4; Y.C.S. 4; K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 3; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; Football Court 4.

HEIDBREDER, H. KURT

Orchestra 1,2.



HORTON, DAVID J.

Student Council 1; C.I.S.L. 1; Living Rosary 1; Orchestra 1,2,3,4.

HILTON, JAMES F.

K.O.D. 4; Track 1,2.



Seniors



JUNG, JUDITH M.

Sacred Heart Club 2,3,4; K.O.D. 3; Glee Club 2,3,4; Latin Club 2; Christmas Cantata 3,4; Spring Festival 1,2,3,4; "The Waltz King" 3.



JUDGE, CAROLYN M.

Student Council 1; Honor Roll 1,2; Sacred Heart Club 3; K.O.D. 4; Pep Club 2; May Day Court 1.



HUNT, THOMAS M.

St. Louis University High School 1,2.



HULSE, FRIEDA A.

St. Mary's High School, Denver, Colorado 1,2. K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 3; Fourteen Club 3,4; Glee Club 3; Christmas Cantata 3,4; Spring Festival 3; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; "The Waltz King" 3; "South of the Border" 3.

HUESGEN, RICHARD P.

McBride 1.

K.O.D. 2,3; Christmas Cantata 3; "Backstage on Broadway."



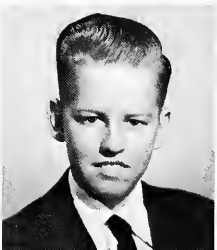
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Christmas Cantata 4.



KEESHAN, THOMAS M.

"Backstage on Broadway" 3; "M" Club 2,3, President 4; Basketball 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Soccer 1.

KEINRATH, DONALD F.



KELLY, NANCY K.

KELTY, STEVEN

Longmeadow High School
Longmeadow, Mass. 1,2,3

Christmas Cantata 4; "M" Club 4; Football 4.



Seniors



KEMPER, WILLIAM G.
Brophy Preparatory High, Phoenix, Arizona 1,2;
K.O.D. 4.
KENNEDY, JUDITH A.
Pep Club 2,3,4.

KERR, FRANCIS X.
Student Council 1,3,4, Alternate 2; Honor Roll 1,2,3;
Y.C.S. 4; Math Club 4; May Day Court 3,4; Living Rosary
3,4; Christmas Cantata 4.
KESSELS, JUDITH J.
Honor Roll 1,2; Legion of Mary 3,4; K.O.D. 2,3,4; Pep
Club 1; Library Guild 2,3,4; Glee Club 3; Spring Festival
3; May Queen 4.

KIELY, JOAN T.
Sacred Heart Club 4; C.I.S.L.
2,3,4; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club
1,2,4; Orchestra 1,2; "Backstage
on Broadway" 3; "S. S. Good-
will" 2; "South of the Border" 1



KING, MARYELLEN
Library Guild 2; Orchestra 1,2,3;
Christmas Cantata 3; Spring
Festival 3; "The Waltz King" 3.

KNOX, KATHLEEN A.
KING, PATRICIA J.
Student Council Alternate 4; SHIELD Staff 4; Sacred
Heart Club 2,3; Y.C.S. 4; Fourteen Club Secretary 4;
K.O.D. 2,3,4; Cheerleader 3, Captain 4; Pep Club 2,3,4;
Living Rosary 4; Christmas Cantata 4; Spring Festival 4;
Senior Play; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; "S. S. Good-
will" 2; Football Court 3; Mercian Staff 4.



KREIKEMEIER, KRAIG G.
St. Louis University High School 1
Math Club 4.
SCHIEDER, BARBARA
Chamois High 1,2,3, Chomois, Mo.



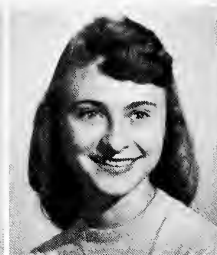
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LA ROCCA, JOSEPH T.
K.O.D. 3,4; Glee Club 2,3; Football Court 2; Football 3; Track 3.



LANNAN, THOMAS J.
Orchestra 1,2; K.O.D. 3,4; "M" Club 4; Football Court 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2; Pep Club 4; Senior Play.
LANEMANN, JOAN L.
Honor Roll 1,2,3; Student Council 3; Sacred Heart Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 3; Glee Club 1,2; May Day Court 3; Living Rosary 3; Spring Festival 2; Football Court 4.



LA CONTE, LOIS A.
Honor Roll 1,2,3; Sacred Heart Club 1,2; Y.C.S. 4; Pep Club 1,2; Stamp Club 1.
KRUSE, KAREN A.
St. Joseph High School, South Bend, Indiana 3; Art Club 4.



LAUCK, ROBERT E.
St. Louis Preparatory Seminary 1.
"M" Club 3,4; Football 3; K.O.D. 4.



LAUTERWASSER, JOANN M.
Sacred Heart Club 4; K.O.D. 2,3,4; Pep Club 1; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Spring Festival 2,3,4.
LEMP, ALICE T.
Honor Roll 1,2,3; Student Council Alternate 4; SHIELD Staff 3; Y.C.S. 1,3,4; Living Rosary 4.



LIVINGSTON, THOMAS A.
St. Louis U. High School 1,2,3.
LIVINGSTON, PAUL D.
C.B.C. 1,2.
Basketball 3.



The Queen and
Smile on Their

Seniors



LODES, GEORGE A.
K.O.D. 3,4; "M" Club 3,4; Football Court 4; Football 3,4; Basketball 2,3,4.
LUBELEY, FRANCES M.
Spring Festival 1; "The Waltz King" 2.

MAASSEN, MARY E.
Sacred Heart Club 2,3,4; Y.C.S. 3,4; Fourteen Club 3; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Latin Club 2; Christmas Cantata 3; Spring Festival 2; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; "S. S. Goodwill" 2; "South of the Border" 1.
McCORMACK, RITA J.
C.I.S.L. 4; K.O.D. 3,4.

McDEVITT, EDWARD J.
Spring Festival 2; "M" Club 3,4; Football 2,3,4; Soccer 1; Track 1,2,3,4.



Senior Royal Court
Royal Subjects

McGRATH, CAROL A.
Sacred Heart Club 4; Fourteen Club 4; K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 2.

MELCHOR, MANUEL J.
Pep Club 1; Math Club 4; Latin Club 1; Orchestra 1,2; "M" Club 4; Baseball 1,2; Track 1.
McLAUGHLIN, ANNA MAE
Sacred Heart Club 4; Fourteen Club 4; K.O.D. 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; Senior Play.



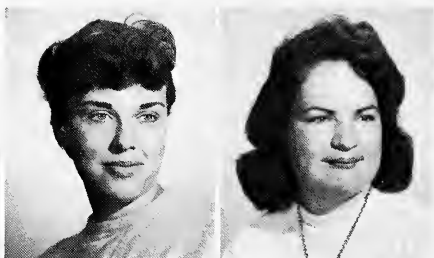
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K.O.D. 3,4; Orchestra 1; Football 1.
MOEHLMAN, E. DUFF
Our Lady of the Ozarks 1.
Student Council 3; SHIELD Staff 4; May Day Court 3; Living Rosary 3; Christmas Cantata 3; Track 3; Senior Play.



Seniors



NENNINGER, MARY P.
Sacred Heart Club 1; "The Waltz King" 3.



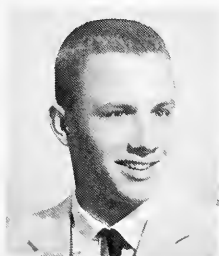
NAEGELI, BARBARA
Pep Club 1; K.O.D. 1,3,4.
MULVANEY, KATHLEEN M.



MUELLER, LINDA L.
Sacred Heart Club 1; K.O.D. 1; Pep Club 1; Football Court 2.



MUDD, MICHAEL J.
Student Council Alternate 2; Sacred Heart Club 2; Y.C.S. 4; K.O.D. 4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Stamp Club 2; Living Rosary 1,2; Orchestra 1,2,3.



NEWPORT, JOHN P.
Pep Club 4; Senior Play; SHIELD Staff 4; Orchestra 1,2,3; Soccer 1; Track 3,4; Basketball 2,4.



NIBLOCK, HARRY W.
NIEMEIER, SUZANNE B.
MERCIAN Staff 1,2,3; K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 2,3.



O'BRIEN, THOMAS A.
O'KEEFE, ROBERT
K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 4; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; Christmas Cantata 3,4; Senior Play.



Seniors

*To a great
health teacher.
You were the best
I ever had.
Remember
Pat*

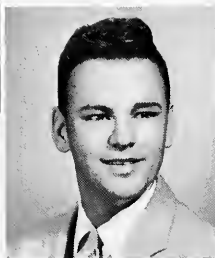


ORLANDO, ANNA MARIE C.

Sacred Heart Club 2,4; K.O.D. 2,3,4; Pep Club 2;
"Backstage on Broadway" 3; Football Court 4.

ORSCHELN, M. JANE

Incarnate Word Academy 1,2,3.
SHIELD Staff 4; K.O.D. 4; Senior Play.



OTTO, JAMES R.

Ritenour 1,2.

Glee Club 3,4; Christmas Cantata 3; Spring Festival 3.

PALAZZOLO, CARMELA G.

Sacred Heart 1,2,3,4; Y.C.S. 4; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club
2,3,4; Fourteen Club Treasurer 4; "Backstage on Broad-
way" 3.



PEARSON, PATRICIA A.

Sacred Heart 1,2,3,4; MERCIAN
Staff 3,4; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep
Club 1,2,3,4; Y.C.S. 4; Christmas
Cantata 4; Senior Play; "Back-
stage on Broadway" 3.



PEDROTTI, ROBERT C.

St. Louis Preparatory Semi-
nary 1.

Honor Roll 2; Latin Club 2.

PETERS, JOANNE K.

Student Council Alternate 2; Sacred Heart Club 2,3,4;
K.O.D. 4; Pep Club 2,4.

PERRY, JEROME T.

K.O.D. 1; Senior Play.



PLEIN, MARY ELIZABETH

Honor Roll 1; Student Council Alternate 1; Sacred
Heart Club 1,2; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2; Christ-
mas Cantata 3,4; Living Rosary 1; Senior Play; "Back-
stage on Broadway" 3.

PINGEL, WANDA A.

Student Council 4; Sacred Heart Club 2; K.O.D. 1,4;
Pep Club 2; May Day Court 4; Living Rosary 4; Senior
Play.



Seniors



PURINGTON, JOYCE A.
Notre Dame, Maylan, Pennsylvania 1.
Sacred Heart Club 2; K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 2.



RAVEL, MARIE P.
Sacred Heart Club 4; K.O.D. 3; Pep Club 3.



PROST, ANN L.
Honor Roll 1,3; Sacred Heart Club 2,3,4; K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 2,4; Fourteen Club 4; Latin Club 2.



POZNIAK, MARY LOUISE
Sacred Heart Club 3; K.O.D. 4; Pep Club 2,3; Orchestra 1.



PONINGLI, AUGUST J.
Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Spring Festival 2,3; Track 3.
POEHLER, META L.
St. Joseph Academy 1,2.
K.O.D. 4; Y.C.S. 4; Fourteen Club 4; Senior Play; C.I.S.L. 4.



REICHERT, MICHAEL J.
K.O.D. 2,3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3; "The Waltz King" 3; "M" Club 1,2,3,4; Football Court 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Senior Play.



RILLERA, CARMEN A.
Y.C.S. 3,4; Sacred Heart Club 2,3,4; K.O.D. 2,3,4; Glee Club 2,3; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; Spring Festival 2; Pep Club 2,3,4.



ROCHE, WILLIAM D.
Student Council Alternate 4; Honor Roll 1,2,3; Math Club 4; Living Rosary 4; Track 1,2,3.
ROSEBROUGH, DONALD M.
Latin Club 2.



Seniors



SANDER, SHARON A.
 Honor Roll 3; Sacred Heart Club 4; Library Guild 1,2,3,4;
 Glee Club 2; "The Waltz King" 3; Fourteen Club 4.
SANDLIN, ANITA T.
 Canway High School, Conway, Missouri 1.
 Honor Roll 2,3; SHIELD Staff 4; PROM Reporter 4; K.O.D.
 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,4; Latin Club 3; Sacred Heart Club 2.

SANZOTERA, DONNA M.
 Honor Roll 3; Sacred Heart Club
 2,3; Pep Club 4; Library Guild
 2; Glee Club 2.



SCHELTINGA, ALLAN E.
 Student Council 1; Student Council Alternate 3,4; K.O.D.
 3,4; Living Rosary 1,3,4; May Day Court 1,3; Christmas
 Cantata 3; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; "S. S. Goodwill"
 2; "South of the Border" 1; Senior Play.
SCHEIDT, CARMEN R.
 Honor Roll 1,3; Student Council Alternate 1; Sacred Heart
 Club 1,2,3,4; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Fourteen
 Club 4; Math Club 4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Orchestra 1;
 Christmas Cantata 4; Spring Festival 2,3,4; "Backstage on
 Broadway" 3; "The Waltz King" 3; "S. S. Goodwill" 2;
 "South of the Border" 1.

SAPUTO, JOHN A.
 Football 2,3,4; Basketball 2;
 Soccer 1; Track 1.

SCHMITZ, MARY J.
SCHEULEN, SYLVIA C.
 Honor Roll 1,3; Student Council Alternate 1,2; MER-
 CIAN Staff 4; Sacred Heart Club 1,2,3,4; K.O.D. 1,2,
 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,4; Y.C.S. 4; Fourteen Club 4; Christ-
 mas Cantata 4; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; "S. S.
 Goodwill" 2; Senior Play.



Seniors



SIEBERT, ROSEANN L.
Honor Roll 2.



SHYMANSKI, BRUCE A.
Pep Club 2; Math Club 4; Latin Club 2; Orchestra 1,2;
Senior Play.



SHEILS, TERENCE E.
K.O.D. 3; Pep Club 3; Glee Club 2; Christmas Cantata 3;
Spring Festival 2; Football 1,2.



SHANAHAN, NORINE H.
Ursuline Academy 1,2.

Y.C.S. 3,4; K.O.D. 3,4; Glee Club 3; Art Club 3;
Christmas Cantata 4; Spring Festival 3,4; "Backstage
on Broadway" 3; "The Waltz King" 3; Senior Play
SCHUTZ, KENNETH S.
Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Baseball 3; "The Waltz King" 3



SIMEONE, CARMALEE S.
Honor Roll 1; Student Council 3,
Alternate 1; SHIELD Staff 4;
MERCIAN Staff 3,4; Sacred
Heart Club 1,2,3,4; K.O.D. 3,4;
Cheerleader 4; May Day Court
3; Living Rosary 3; Christmas
Cantata 4; Spring Festival 4;
"Backstage on Broadway" 3;
Football Court 3.



SIMON, CHARLENE A.
Student Council 2; Honor Roll 2,3; Sacred Heart Club 1,4;
Legion of Mary 4; K.O.D. 2,4; Pep Club 1,2; Library Guild
3,4; May Day Court 2,4; Living Rosary 2.
SIMON, THOMAS F.



SKINNER, GAYLE K.
Pep Club 2.

SMITH, EMILY L.
St. Mark's High School 1.
Pep Club 3; Glee Club 2; Christmas Cantata 3; Spring
Festival 3; "The Waltz King" 3.



Seniors



SMITH, MARY ELIZABETH

Honor Roll 1,3; MERCIAN Staff 4; Sacred Heart Club
; Y.C.S. 4; Fourteen Club 4; K.O.D. 1,3,4; Pep Club
2; Living Rosary 1; Christmas Cantata 4; "Backstage
on Broadway" 3.

NOWDEN, PATRICIA A.

Honor Roll 1,2,3; MERCIAN Staff 4; Sacred Heart
Club 2,3,4; Y.C.S. 3; K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Sen-
ior Play; "Backstage on Broadway" 3.



SONA, NORMA J.

Student Council 4; Sacred Heart Club 2,3; K.O.D. 2,3,4;
Pep Club 2; Living Rosary 4; Football Court 4.

SOWASH, LAURENCE J.

Maryknoll Seminary 1,2.
Student Council 4; Honor Roll 3; MERCIAN Staff 4; Living
Rosary 4; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; C.I.S.L. 4.



STANSBERRY, ROGER F.

Saldan High School 1.
C.I.S.L. 3; K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club
4; "Backstage on Broadway" 3;
Football 2,3, Manager 4; Track
2,3,4.



STEINIGER, JOSEPH A.

St. Louis Preparatory Semi-
nary 1.

STREHL, BERNARD M.

Student Council 1; May Day Court 1; Y.C.S. 4; Pep Club
2; Latin Club 2.

STRECK, EDWARD G.

K.O.D. 3,4; Track 2,3.

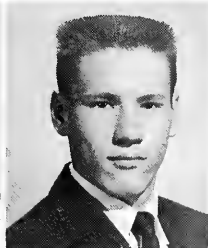


TURGIS, JOYCE M.

Honor Roll 1,2,3; MERCIAN Staff 4; SHIELD Staff 3;
Assistant Editor 4; Sacred Heart Club 2,4; Pep Club
4; Glee Club 2,3, President 4; Christmas Cantata 3,4;
Spring Festival 2,3; "The Waltz King" 3; Senior Play.

STROER, KENNETH L.

Orchestra 1,2,3,4; "The Waltz King" 3.



Seniors



TAYLOR, ROSEMARIE

Honor Roll 1,2,3; SHIELD Staff 3; Y.C.S. 3,4.



TATE, MARY ELLEN L.

Honor Roll 1,2,3; SHIELD Staff 3; Sacred Heart Club 2,3; K.O.D. 1,2,3; "S. S. Goodwill" 2; "South of the Border" 1.

TASCHLER, ALPHONSE J.

K.O.D. 3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3; Track 1; "The Waltz King" 3.



SYRON, MICHAEL J.

Honor Roll 2; Student Council Alternote 4; Living Rosory 4.

STUTZ, KENNETH D.



TIGHE, PATRICIA A.
Latin Club 2.



TRENN, SUSAN M.

Student Council Alternote 1; K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 2; Living Rosory 1; "Backstage on Broadway" 3.

TRITSCHLER, DONNA M.

Sacred Heart Club 4; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,4.



VACCARO, JUDITH A.

Honor Roll 1,2,3; Legion of Mary 4; K.O.D. 2,4; Pep Club 2,4; Library Guild 2,3,4; Senior Play.

VACCARO, NANCY A.

Honor Roll 1,2; Sacred Heart Club 1,2,3,4; Y.C.S. 4; C.I.S.L. 3; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1; Christmas Contoto 3; Spring Festival 1; Senior Play; "Backstage on Broadway" 3.



Seniors



VAN DEVEN, GERALD J.

Orchestra 1,2.

WAGGAMAN, ROBERT J.

K.O.D. 4; Orchestra 1,2; Football 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Soccer 1; Track 1; "M" Club 3,4.



WALLACH, ELIZABETH C.

Student Council Alternate 1; Sacred Heart Club 2,3,4; Honor Roll 1; C.I.S.L. 4; Pep Club 4; Glee Club 2.

WALTERS, MARYLEE E.

Sacred Heart Club 1,2,3; Fourteen Club 4; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; Glee Club 3.



WALZ, SHIRLEY J.

Sacred Heart Club 1,2,3,4; K.O.D. 4; Pep Club 1,2,3, Secretary 4; Library Guild 2; Fourteen Club 4.



C.P.A.'s

WARD, CAROL A.

St. Peter's High School 1. Student Council Alternate 3; Sacred Heart Club 2,3,4; K.O.D. 3,4; Pep Club 2,3; Y.C.S. 3,4; Glee Club 3; Christmas Cantata 3; "Backstage on Broadway" 3; "The Waltz King" 3.

WEDEMEYER, SUZANNE

K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 3,4; "Backstage on Broadway" 3.

WARD, JOHN G.

Pep Club Secretary 4; Glee Club 2; Football 1,2,3; Basketball 2; Soccer 1.



WEISHAAR, GERARD J.

Student Council 2,3; K.O.D. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Math Club 4; Glee Club 3; May Day Court 2,3; Living Rosary 2,3; Christmas Cantata 3,4; "The Waltz King" 3.

WEINGAERTNER, GEORGE A.

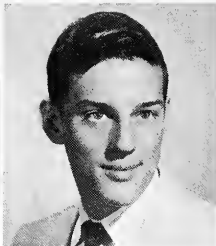
K.O.D. 4; Pep Club 4; Orchestra 1,2; Latin Club 2; "M" Club 3,4; Football 2,3,4.



Seniors



WILMAS, DONALD W.
Student Council Alternate 2;
K.O.D. 4; Latin Club 1; Orchestro 1,2; Football 2.



WILMAS, ROBERT J.
Student Council Alternate 1.



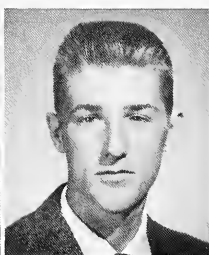
WIRTS, KATHLEEN L.
Ursuline Academy 1;
Student Council Alternate 4, Fourteen Club 4.



ZIEGLER, BARBARA L.
Fourteen Club 4; Pep Club 2,3.



ZIMMER, RICHARD J.



ZURWELLER,
DENNIS L.
Student Council Alternate 1; K.O.D. 3,4;
Living Rosary 1; Football 1,2,3; Soccer 1;
Track 1,2,3.

Seniors not pictured in the above section.

Eugene J. Gainer
Vernan Heidland
Michael G. Hennessy
Maureen M. McNearney
Paul W. Miedaner
Steven F. Smith
Edward J. VanDeventer

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Vaugirard and the Jesuit White House were the scene of the boys' retreats.

One of the many benefits students receive from their years at Mercy is the opportunity of making a closed retreat. During the retreat — with the help of the Holy Spirit and the retreat master — thoughts such as these are brought to light:

My indwelling God, let not Your heavenly visit be a merely passing one; but stay with me forever. Strengthen me by Your all-powerful graces against the awful possibility, which I tremble even to think about, of ever driving You out of my soul by mortal sin. Help me to make this retreat the best one I have ever made and let these thoughts and prayers stay within me forever. Let me contemplate the many facets of my spiritual life, and find peace in my mind. Help me to love thee more and more and be with thee in heaven forever.

May the closed retreat of the senior year be but the beginning of many such spiritual ventures with Christ!



Singing hymns and praying to the Blessed Mother was a daily event for the girls during their retreat at the Mercy Retreat House.



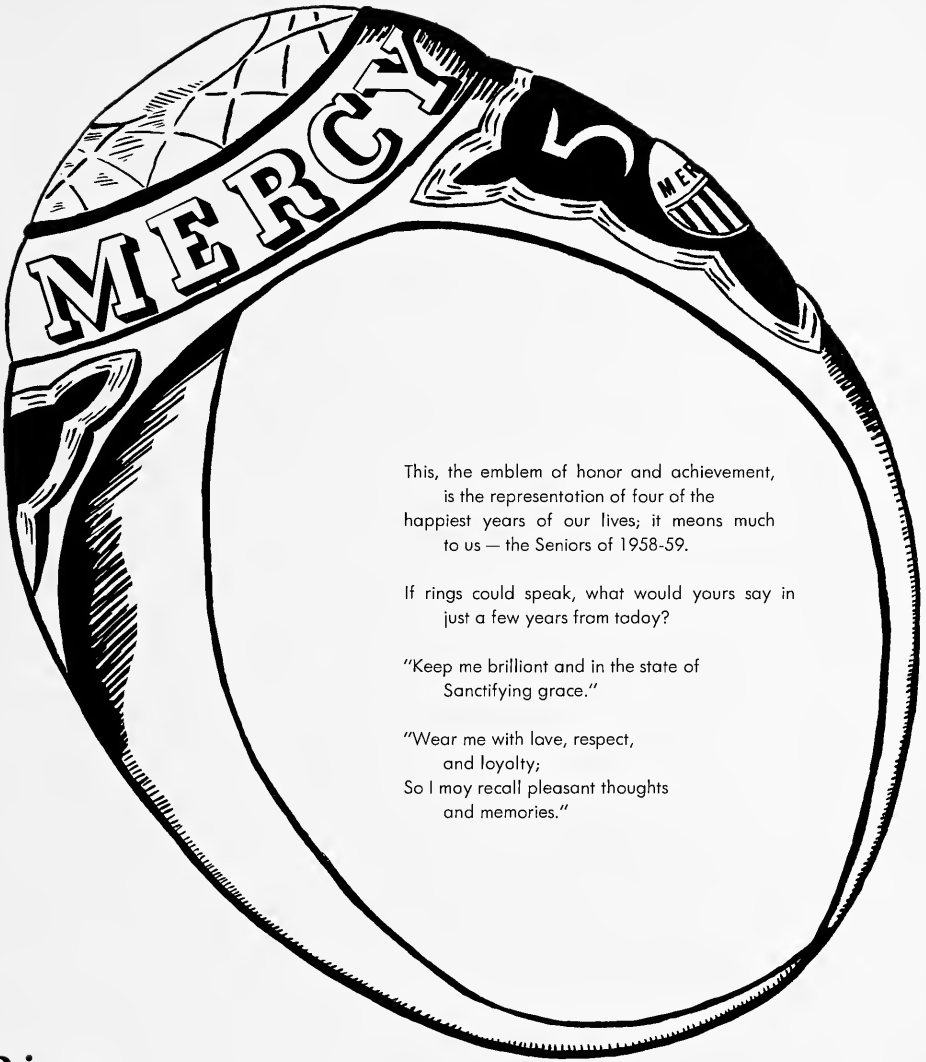
Football Dance

On the night of November 26 King Bob and Queen Anna Kay, chosen by those attending the dance, walked down the white carpeted aisle preceded by representatives of freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior classes, to put the finishing touch on the football season of '58.

This year's prom was unique in many ways such as

the awarding of football letters to varsity football players and the colorful autumn decorations of brown and gold, setting the atmosphere for the unusual theme, "Autumn Fantasy."

The gala fanfare was brought to a climax by the descent of the royal couple and their court to dance to the sweet refrains of "Tenderly."



This, the emblem of honor and achievement,
is the representation of four of the
happiest years of our lives; it means much
to us — the Seniors of 1958-59.

If rings could speak, what would yours say in
just a few years from today?

"Keep me brilliant and in the state of
Sanctifying grace."

"Wear me with love, respect,
and loyalty;
So I may recall pleasant thoughts
and memories."

Ring Day

How happy we were on this memorable day
Of December 11!

Be sure to make a fair exchange
for this ring you cherish.

Seniors

Present

"Nuts in May"

Cast of Characters: Ray Black, Jane Orscheln, Bill Fahey, Pat Pearson, Tom Dworacsek, JoNell Dailey, Anna Mae McLaughlin, Dan Coad, Sue Rudroff, Nick Colandro, Wanda Pingel, Jim Bonzon, Mary Beth Plein, Meta Poehler, Pat King. Not shown, Ruth Duncan.



On February 8 & 10, our senior class staged its annual production, the senior play. This year's production was NUTS IN MAY, by Cornelia Otis Skinner. Thanks to Father Rustige's excellent direction, and the superb coaching of Miss Reilly, the play was an unqualified success. One of many of Mercy's plays to go "on the road," February 15, it was presented at the Mercy Sisters' Novitiate in Frantenac with success equal to its presentation at home.

NUTS IN MAY is the story of Cornelia Otis Skinner's first Broadway opening and the madcap antics of the unique characters who surrounded it. Cornelia Otis Skinner was portrayed by Sue Rudroff, her nervous husband, Alden, Dan Coad. Michael, her mischievous son, Nick Colandro.

May Queen and Prom Queen Candidates

The honor of crowning Our Blessed Lady could not go to a more deserving person than our May Queen, Miss Judy Kessels. By actively participating in the Legion of Mary for two years, Judy has given evidence of her desire to make Mary and her Son better known and loved.

A big event like the Junior-Senior Prom could not be omitted just because of a little thing as a deadline. The seniors chose Sayonora — Good-bye, as the title of their last prom at Mercy. Candidates for queen are (L-R): Toni Filla, Wanda Pingel, Anna Kay Roberts, Suzanne Rudroff, and Pat King. One of them will ascend the throne on the night of the Prom, (April 10), having been chosen queen by those who attended the dance.

FLASH! Miss Antoinette Filla reigned as Queen of the Prom.



Farewell Seniors

Four years completed, now is the time
for us to bid adieu
We leave our school with thankful hearts
And precious memories, too.

We thank Almighty God for all
The wondrous things He's done,
He made our high school days a time
Of prayer, work, and fun.



We're grateful for the Christian training
The faculty did provide,
Physically, spiritually, and morally, we'll keep
These teachings as our guide.

The plays, the proms, and ring day, too,
Have surely brought us happiness,
Events we now so ardently treasure
Will be memories we'll forever possess.

Mother of Mercy, intercede for us
Aid us in all our cares,
Protect and shield us from all harm
Bring us success as heavenly heirs.

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